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Filed: March 8, 2001

For:

INK-JET INK, METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND

INK JET RECORDING METHOD .

Group Art Unit: 1755

Examiner: Helene G. Klemanski

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Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and accompanying form PTO-1449 for the above-identified patent application.

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- [] The fee of \$180.00 (1806) as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is also enclosed.
- [] A statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) is also enclosed.
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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant hereby submits the attached information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents cited is enclosed.

The information is submitted before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Since the documents are being filed within the time period set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) no fee or statement is required.

To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner-initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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